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PROYECTO VALLE DE NACO  
CATALOG FORM

DATE: 17-12-96

LOT NUMBER: 42F-18

SUBSTANCE: Stone, ground

OBJECT: Metate surface with leg(s)

CATALOG #: 42F-18-1

MULTIPLES? DRAWN BY:

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PASTE GROUP:

CENSER FORM CODE:

EXCAVATOR:

HGT/LENGTH: 11cm.

WIDTH: 12.3cm.

THICKNESS: 13.5cm.

DIAMETER:

VERBAL DESCRIPTION: This is an intact - ~~broken~~ metate surface. It is a ~~finished~~ item - a rough out (i.e., incomplete). It includes no - 1 - ~~2~~ - 3 - 4 finished edges.

The edge is ~~is~~ not convexly curved on the underside. If not, describe:

The junction of the underside and topside is sharp - ~~rounded~~ - blunted - chipped - battered.

The underside is chipped - pecked - not ground down at all - ground only on the highest parts - ~~moderately~~ ground - ground smooth.

The underside has 1 intact and broken legs.

The legs are located at the ~~corner(s)~~ - at an edge midpoint.

The preserved height of the leg(s) is - are: 5.5cm.

The basic cross-section of the 1st leg is round - ~~square~~ - rectangular - oval - tear-drop shaped. It is also chipped - pecked - not ground down at all - ground only on the highest parts - ~~moderately~~ ground - ground smooth.

The basic cross-section of the 2nd leg is round - square - rectangular - oval - tear-drop shaped. It is also chipped - pecked - not ground down at all - ground only on the highest parts - moderately ground - ground smooth.

The basic cross-section of the 3rd leg is round - square - rectangular - oval - tear-drop shaped. It is also chipped - pecked - not ground down at all - ground only on the highest parts - moderately ground - ground smooth.

If there are more than 3 legs, describe the other(s):

The upper, working side is lightly ground on the highest parts - ~~moderately~~ ground - smooth - glossy - slick.

If the surface is heavily used, slick, and/or glossy, the shine does - does not continue to the edge.

There is - is ~~not~~ a lateral (side-to-side) curvature.

There is - is ~~not~~ a lengthwise curvature.

Near the edge, the surface does - ~~does not~~ curve down slightly to meet the underside.

The material used to make this metate is vesicular ~~basalt~~ - volcanic tuff - limestone - granite - other (describe).

If basalt, the item is very - ~~moderately~~ - lightly porous.

Drawn - ~~Not drawn~~

Comments. Decoration description: leg slants & base of foot is very worn.